

Providence Oct 11th 1854

Mr Dear Garrison

152 I received yours in due course I could not give an immediate answer as Mr Sackett one of my partners was absent in New York on his return I consulted with him knowing that we had before made up our minds not to take any more boys this fall, I find him very strongly disinclined to change if it depended on my decision alone I would take George on trial immediately if you can keep him employed for a few months I have no doubt we should find an opening for him. For the past year ~~the~~ business has been quite indifferent owing to very frequent losses by failures. under such circumstances it is the part of prudent men to curtail somewhat. I expect to be in Boston next week and will call and see you in relation to the matter as I am very desirous to serve you in this case.

Parvina sends her very kind regards to Mrs G & yourself she is however sick quite sick an attack of inflammation of the lungs followed by Neuralgia. With kindest regards to Mrs G
I remain Yours J Davis

